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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Volkert A. Zeijlemaker Examiner: Unknown
Serial No. 10/673,778 Group Art Unit: 3737
Filing Date: September 29, 2003 Docket No.: P10498.00
Title: CONTROLLING BLANKING DURING MAGNETIC
RESONANCE IMAGING

REQUEST FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts, from February 22, 2004 to March 22, 2004.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee of \$110.00, as well as any deficiencies, and credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date

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